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Customer No. 22,852

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Pasika et al.) Group Art Unit: 1631
Serial No.: 09/724,910) Examiner: Mahatan, C.
Filed: November 28, 2000)
For: METHODS, SYSTEMS, AND)
ARTICLES OF MANUFACTURE)
FOR EVALUATING BIOLOGICAL)
DATA)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

PETITION FOR COLOR DRAWINGS UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.84(a)(2)

Applicants petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.84(a)(2) for acceptance of the color drawings initially filed in this application. The color drawings help to distinguish lines depicted in Figures 1, 6, 7, 10-13, and 15-17.

Applicants enclose three copies of Figures 1, 6, 7, 10-13, and 15-17. The Office Action mailed January 15, 2002, required correction of Figures 11-14 and 16.

Applicants submit herewith the Submission of Formal Drawings, which includes new formal Figures 11-14 and 16. Applicants also submitted a proposed new formal Figure 1 as discussed in the Submission of Formal Drawings and the Response filed herewith. The enclosed copies of color Figures 1, 11-13, and 16 are copies of the new figures that are being submitted with the Submission of Formal Drawings.

The petition fee of \$130.00 under Rule 17(h) is enclosed. The requirement for a black and white copy of the color figures has been waived. See MPEP 608.02 at page 600-92, right column.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this petition and charge any additional required fees to Deposit Account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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